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FEDERAL JURY CONVICTS KILLEEN MAN OF ASSAULTING STEP-DAUGHTER ON FORT HOOD

United States Attorney Johnny Sutton announced that 40-year-old Rosdolm T. Pierre-Louis faces up to 10 years in federal prison after a jury convicted him this morning of assaulting his step daughter with a deadly weapon. The jury acquitted Pierre-Louis of assaulting his ex-wife with intent to commit murder.

According to court testimony provided by the victims, Lora Ann Madison and Pierre-Louis were scheduled to appear in a child support court hearing on February 15, 2006. Early that morning, Madison, at home with her four children, experienced a power outage. Attempting to determine the cause, Madison decided to check the junction box on the outside of her Ft. Hood home. When Madison opened the front door, she discovered Pierre-Louis crouched down, dressed in all black clothing and wearing gloves. Pierre-Louis forcefully entered into the residence and began assaulting Madison in an effort to prevent her from attending the court hearing. Madison's children intervened in an attempt to end the attack, but were unsuccessful. During the assault, 18-year-old Patricia Robinson, Madison's oldest daughter and Pierre-Louis' step daughter, was struck twice in the face by the defendant with what she believed was a hammer.

Federal authorities arrested Pierre-Louis on February 16, 2006. He remains in federal custody pending sentencing which is expected to occur next month.

The case was investigated by the Federal Bureau of Investigation together with the Criminal Investigation Division of the U.S. Army, Department of Defense. Assistant United States Attorney Mark Frazier and Special Assistant United States Attorney Samuel E. Gregory prosecuted this case on behalf of the government.

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